



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: **Xiaofen Chen**

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Examiner: **Patrick J. Assouad**

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For: **Derivation of Composite Step-Function Response**

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Mail Stop Amendment  
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**Reponse under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and Ex Parte Quayle**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 27, 2005, for which a shortened statutory period of two (2) months, ending November 27, 2005, was set in which to reply, please reconsider the above-identified application as follows.